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Later from Salmon River and Walla Walla.

By the arrival of the overland mail from Portland on Saturday evening, we have news from Salmon River to January 28th, and Walla Walla to February 25th. The disagreeable part of the news is the death of thirteen men, killed by the Snake Indians, in the neighborhood of John Day's River. On the 22d of November last, a party of 32 men left Tigh valley to go to the newly discovered gold mines on the head of John Day's River, about 180 miles distant from the starting point, in a southeasterly direction. After a tedious trip of nearly six weeks the party arrived at their destination. Finding the weather too cold to do anything at mining, after staying a few days to build winter quarters, fourteen of the party at different times started back to the Dalles with the animals. On the 9th of Feb., one of the two last men that had left the camp returned with the news that his comrade had been shot and instantly killed by a party of Snake Indians. This occurred on the 6th of February, about 60 miles from the camp at the mines. The remaining party then cached their goods and came down to the Dalles on foot. None of the other parties who left with the animals having been heard of, there is no doubt they have either been murdered by the Indians or perished in the snow.

Accounts from Salmon river state that 1500 men were in the mines on the 28th of January; that the snow was 4 1/2 feet deep; too cold to do anything at mining and that provisions enough for a limited season were to be had. A large amount of gold is in the hands of miners at Salmon river, but it is thought that the season for mining will not open before the first of June. At Walla Walla, the snow was eighteen inches deep on the 25th of February, and much stock had died for want of food. Provisions were plenty in the town, and a soup-house had been provided for the destitute. From all parts of the country, east of the Cascades, stock are said to be dying off in great numbers. Some persons having as many as 500 head of cattle a few months ago, are now left with not more than 40 or 50, and scarcely a hope that even they will survive the cold weather.

In the Kiklat valley many cattle were dying, apparently from some epidemic, as they were said to be in good condition. Judging from the news we have, it looks like madness to start for Salmon river for at least a month or six weeks longer. At Portland there are already about 3000 men waiting for an opportunity to go; and there can be no doubt that there are more people en route for Salmon river than can be accommodated with provisions and transportation. The result will be that many will get impatient and try to force their way through and starve to death on the road. The navigation has been opened—after a fashion, to the Dalles, but it is a great deal too soon to start to Salmon river—Overland Press.

GREAT RISE IN THE PRICE OF COTTON GOODS.—The Southerners will rejoice in the fact that the war, by cutting off the raw cotton supply from the Southern States, has carried up every variety of cotton goods to a range of prices known only to the former generation. The rise was steady and rapid for ten or twelve weeks, averaging about half per cent. per yard a week, and prices are still advancing. Heavy sheetings at the manufactories are now firm at 16 cents per yard; a year ago they were but 7 1/2 cents. Denims are 15 1/2 cents, which a year ago were 9 1/2 cents. Allen's, Daniels', American and Sprague prints are now sold at fourteen cents, which a year since were sold at 7 1/2 to 8 cents. Calicoes and Merrimacs are firm at 14 1/2 to 15 cents. The durable styles of prints are fast disappearing from the market. If we are to be balked of cotton for several years, (which may Heaven forbid and Gen. McClellan prevent) and are compelled to wait for flax manufacture to be re-constituted, the Springfield (Mass.) Republican says, the material for thin garments will rise to such a point as to illustrate by living examples the Yankee's remark on first seeing Powers' Greek slaves—"Guess that 'ere gal was raised where cotton is scarce!"

THE GRAVES IN THE STREET.—The miners of an earlier period selected a spot now in front of the Folson Theatre, for the burial of their dead, and their successors have not respected the place, a part of which extends into a street and a part is covered with lumber piles. Previous to the preparation of the ground for a lumber yard, it was used by showmen for their exhibiting tents. Here the striped clown used to make the living grimace under his bow tie, by the ghastly

grinning relics of death; and here many have sported who may not leave such good friends to mourn them and care for their graves as Prebasco left, and whose little white marble grave stone, projecting above the mud of the street, gives this account: "Henry Prebasco, of Lebanon, Ohio, died of cholera, Oct. 29 1850."—San Fran. Mirror.

THE GOLD FEVER RAGING.—Within 48 hours, says the San Francisco Call, nearly a thousand eager adventurers have left our city for the New El Dorado [Salmon River], with what success let the history of Fraser River and kindred excitements tell. The Brother Jonathan on Monday, took out six or seven hundred, and the Sunny South had a full load yesterday. Other vessels are already advertised, and the history of another gold bubble is soon to be written with all its details of disappointment, suffering, and in many instances despair and death. Extra vessels are about to be put on the route to accommodate the increased travel.

COSTIVENESS.—Whether habitual or temporary, is productive of the greatest evil to the human system. In fact, it is the precursor or concomitant of a majority of the diseases to which man is heir. It arises from many causes, but usually from a torpid or inactive condition of the liver, and hence remedies acting on that organ have been found best adapted for its cure. Of these remedies JAYNE'S SANATIVE PILLS have no superior, and thousands who have been restored to health by their use willingly testify to the fact. Sold by CURTIS & MOORE and LANGLEY BROS., Victoria.

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THE BRITISH COLONIST

Tuesday Morning, March 18, 1862.

SMALL POX.—For three or four days past, rumors have prevailed in town to the effect that the small pox had broken out, and that several cases of the worst type were already under treatment. We have made diligent inquiry, and yesterday learned sufficient to justify us in announcing that one case of varioloid really exists here. The patient came from San Francisco on the last steamer, and was attacked by the loathsome disease either just before reaching this port or soon after landing. The case is not considered a dangerous one by the attending physicians, although a consultation was held yesterday to determine its character. While on this subject it may not be improper if we state that from private sources we learn that the small pox is very prevalent at San Francisco, and that the public prints, from some unknown cause, forbear to mention the fact; nor should we allude to it, were it not that the information reaches us from three different sources, any one of which we deem reliable. As our city is now in almost weekly communication with the Bay City, the danger of contagion from that quarter is necessarily very great, and we therefore hope that we shall not be regarded as alarmists when we advise our citizens—and more especially those who design proceeding to the mines, where proper medical treatment and good nursing are not to be obtained at any price—to proceed at once to a physician and undergo vaccination. The cost is but a trifle when compared with the perfect immunity from the loathsome disease which those who may take this precaution will enjoy. The varioloid patient alluded to above is roomed, we understand, in a thickly populated neighborhood, and in a house where several other persons reside. He is well looked after and cared for; but from sanitary motives we would recommend his immediate removal, if possible, to comfortable quarters in the suburbs of the town.

WAS IT THE "PRUTH?"—From the Port Townsend Northwest we learn that a man arrived at that place from Victoria, on the brig Francisco, and reported that on Friday, the 14th inst, while on his way up in a canoe with some Indians, he saw a bark dismantled a short distance from Neah Bay. She appeared to have a deck load of lumber and was waterlogged. The stumps of the main and mizen masts were standing above the deck-load, and a jury-mast had been rigged forward, by a sail on which she was apparently making her way into Neah Bay, with a fair wind. This was in the morning. At 4 or 5 o'clock in the afternoon, the wind hauled to the westward, which would blow her up the Straits unless she got her anchor down in that harbor. The wreck was about six miles distant, towards the American side, and the sea so heavy he did not consider it safe to go over to their assistance. The North west thinks that the vessel seen must have been the bark Pruth, that left Sooke for China some ten days ago. It is possible, however, that the informant may have mistaken the locality, and saw the wreck of the Anna Barnard, which lies about 15 miles outside of San Juan harbor.

GIVING SQUAWS LIQUOR.—Yesterday morning, at 2 o'clock, two respectable looking men, named Simon Wyatt and Joseph Molun, were arrested by officer Brew, at a house near the Johnson street ravine, on a charge of giving three squaws liquor. On the person of Molun was found the sum of \$300. Mr. Peakes appeared for the defence in the Police Court, and said that he could prove that the officer who made the arrest had done so through the promptings of the green-eyed monster, one of the females having bestowed her favors on Molun instead of himself, and that after locking the prisoners up he had gone back to the house and remained there until daylight. A witness was called to the stand who proved that he saw Molun pass a bottle containing liquor to the squaws. The charge against Wyatt was dismissed, and he was placed in the witness-box, but declared that he knew nothing of the liquor—saw none, smelled none, tasted none. Mr. Peakes offered to bring one of the women to prove the animus which actuated the officer in making the arrest, but the magistrate declined to receive Indian testimony, and fined Molun \$50, which he paid.

DEPARTURE OF THE "OTTER."—The steamer Otter left at 8 o'clock yesterday morning for New Westminster. She had about 300 tons of freight and about 75 passengers. Enough freight to fill her another trip was left in the warehouse, and will be sent up on Friday. Many of the passengers were Caribboes, who intend pushing their way northward to their claims as rapidly as the weather and the state of the roads will admit. The season so far is nearly six weeks behind that of last year.

THE FIRST CANOE.—The first canoe for Caribbo left this place on Monday last, manned by six men and containing a supply of provisions and mining utensils. The goods will be boated up the Fraser to the mouth of Cañon Creek, which empties into the Fraser at a point between Quesselle and Cottonwood Rivers. The parties are miners, and among other articles have a large whip-saw, to be used in getting out lumber for sluices, &c.

ASH-THROWERS.—Sixteen citizens appeared before Mr. Pemberton yesterday in answer to summonses charging them with throwing ashes into the streets. Among those summoned were jewellers, physicians, barkeepers, druggists, grocers and general traders, and "gentlemen of leisure." Two of the cases were postponed, two dismissed, one fined costs of court (2s.), and the remainder mulcted in the sum of 10s. each. Most of the defendants claimed to have employed Mr. John Butts to remove the ashes from in front of their premises, but he seems to have failed to perform his duty. Some paid their money with an illuminating smile on their countenances which seemed to betoken an innate feeling of satisfaction at the opportunity afforded them of contributing a trifle towards the Colonial revenue; others again, appeared to think themselves hardly used, and forked over with a facial expression akin to that exhibited by a person who has sustained a long seige of tooth-ache. One or two ventured a "goak" at the expense of the magistrate; but it was "no go." The remorseless sword descended and cut the purse-strings of the delinquents almost as soon as they had time to plead.

"OFF FOR CARIBBOO."—A drunk and disorderly cove, found running loose around Yates street, on Monday night, was arraigned in the Police Court yesterday. He pleaded that this was his last drunk in town as he was off for Caribboo on the very next steamer. The magistrate mercifully let him run on payment of a 5s. fine.

RETURNED.—On Monday night, at nine o'clock, the steamer Henrietta left City Wharf for New Westminster, but on proceeding outside and encountering a heavy gale, it was not deemed advisable to attempt the passage, so she was put about and returned to the Hudson Bay Company's wharf, where she remained during the blow yesterday.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY.—This body will meet at 2 o'clock to-day in the Supreme Court Room, James' Bay. Governor Douglas will open the House with the customary speech.

THE "ENTERPRISE."—Arrived from the Sound at half-past eight o'clock, a. m., yesterday morning, and will leave on the return trip at daylight this morning. She brought 12 passengers and \$1300 worth of freight.

THE "SIERRA NEVADA."—Probably left San Francisco last Monday and will be due here on Monday or Tuesday of next week. She will come by way of Portland.

A man named William Johnson was arrested last night on a charge of selling whisky to Indians.

Mr. McCrea will sell on Union Wharf this morning, spars, chains, sails, rigging, and two compasses.

Mr. Backus will continue the sale at the Hudson Bay Company's store, at 10 o'clock this morning.

A NATIONAL TAX ON AMERICAN DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.—The amount to be derived from a six per cent. tax on domestic manufactures it is difficult to estimate, but it is not likely to be less than \$70,000,000 per annum. The most recent official statistics we have on the subject were reported to Congress in 1850, in Executive Document No. 39, second section of Thirty-fifth Congress, which gave the annual production of manufactures in the loyal states at over a thousand millions of dollars, divided among 123,025 manufacturers. The foreign imports and exports, since the year 1850 have more than doubled, and it is therefore reasonable to assume that a large increase has also taken place in domestic manufactures. The war has largely increased their consumption and decreased the use of imported articles. In 1850 the population of the free States was 14,434,922, which gave the consumption of domestic manufactures in that year as \$80 per head; and if we take the same basis now and population in the free States at twenty millions, this would make the annual production of domestic manufactures sixteen hundred millions, instead of a thousand millions as in 1850, giving a tax revenue of \$96,000,000. This tax would be eminently popular in the Western States and in all the agricultural districts.—Am. paper.

WHAT SENATOR LATHAM IS DOING FOR CALIFORNIA.—The Washington correspondent of the San Francisco Bulletin says:

Mr. Latham has prepared an elaborate report (on behalf of the Military Committee) in favor of the proposition for a joint survey of the United States and Russia, of the route for the proposed line of magnetic telegraph from California via Oregon, British Columbia, Behring's Straits to the mouth of the Amoor River. P. McD. Collins of California, who has exhibited so much public spirited enterprise in urging this great scheme upon the two Governments, is still here pushing it before Congress. He deserves no little credit for his perseverance.

Mr. Latham has also reported from the Naval Committee, the bill authorizing a subsidy of \$300,000 for the establishment of a line of steamers between San Francisco and China. The Committee favor the project, but hesitate to recommend the expenditure in the present condition of public affairs. He accordingly reports the bill back without any recommendation. Mr. Latham, however, is confident that he can so demonstrate to the Senate the economy of the measure as a means of establishing a Naval Police on the Pacific, that it will pass the bill. I confess that I am not so sanguine of any legislation at present for California which involves expenditure of money.

U. S. PUBLIC DEBT.—The public debt of the United States, on the 15th of January, 1862, was \$360,000,000. On the 1st of July, 1861, it was \$20,867,828. The debt has grown during the last six and a half months at the rate of \$1,264,300 a day.

AN INCIDENT.—A few nights ago, says the Placerville Republican, a young man while proceeding home with a lighted lantern, amused himself by singing to the tune of "Dixie."

"In eighteen hundred and sixty-three, We'll hang Abe Lincoln on a tree, Away down South in Dixie!" Suddenly slipping, he fell into the mud, and extinguished his candle. Rising he appealed for a light to a stranger who had been waiting behind, also with a lantern. He received the following reply, uttered in a rich Irish brogue:—"Divil a bit ov a light! jist fur singing ov that dirty song! An' fur two pins, I'd giv yez a clout in the but ov the lug, and sinta yez sprawlin' on the broad ov yer back agin!" The astonished and discomfited singer, (who by the way, is not a seesh), very discreetly increased the distance between himself and the strong right arm of the right feeling Irishman, with the conviction that he had been properly punished.

EFFECT OF THE INUNDATION UPON THE SOIL.—Upon taking a calm and intelligent survey of the field covered by the inundation, says the San Francisco Herald and Mirror, it appears that while portions of the farming lands of the State have been subjected to serious damage, only a small section has been ruined for the purposes of agriculture, and a large proportion, especially in the southerly part of the State, where our fat cattle come from, have been actually benefited by the soaking they received. The rural industry of the State can never meet with a reverse sufficiently calamitous to destroy it. The deposit of sand left by the flood ranges from two to eight feet in depth.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.
March 18.—Star Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Schr Potter, Griffiths, Port Townsend
Sloop Lady Franklin, Baker, Port Townsend
Sloop Northern Light, Montford, Port Townsend

DEPARTED.
March 18.—Star Enterprise, Curry, Port Townsend
Schr Harriot, Coffin, Port Townsend
Sloop Eagle, Keffler, Stickeen River

IMPORTS

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Port Townsend—Hudson Bay Co, 78 cs oysters; Marks, 2 bls gunnies, 1 horse; Dr Toline, 2 horses, 1 wagon; Edgar & Aime, 200 qr sks flour; J T Little, 3 bls sugar; Carsen, 1 horse. Value, \$1,415.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer ENTERPRISE, from Port Townsend—Messrs Johnson, Hanan, Hand, Marks, Hill, Hinds, Abbott, Hill, B Kinney, J Kinney, Washburn, Mitchell.

MISCELLANEOUS

To the Electors of the Town of Esquimalt.

GENTLEMEN.—A vacancy having occurred in the representation of your Town by the retirement of Captain Gordon, I therefore beg to offer myself as a candidate for the honor of representing your Town in the House of Assembly. As regards my claims upon your suffrages, I can only say that I have been a resident in Victoria nearly four years, and during that time I have had the pleasure of being in daily communication with yourselves as well as with my fellow-townsmen in Victoria. My character for ability to serve you in the House of Assembly I shall leave entirely in your own hands and to your own judgment, and upon consideration, if you think me worthy of the trust, I can only say that I shall to the utmost of my power support all measures that will benefit your Town and the Colony at large. Gentlemen, I beg to remain your most obedient servant.
mh12 THOS. HARRIS.

Vancouver Island Colony.

Notice of Public Work.

OFFICE OF LANDS AND WORKS, }
March 17, 1862.

TENDERS IN WRITING WILL BE received at this Office until the 27th inst., for the Construction of a strong rough Timber Bridge to cross the Howe Stream, on the Esquimalt Road, at Parsons', according to Plans and Specifications to be seen at the Land Office, such Tenders to mention time required for the work, terms, security, and address of applicant.
J. DESPARD PEMBERTON,
mh18 td Surveyor General.

GLOBE HOTEL!

GOVERNMENT STREET,
Two doors west of the Theatre, Victoria, V. I.

THIS NEW HOTEL IS NOW OPENED to the public, where will be found the best

Wines, Ales, Liquors and Cigars
In Town, at the Bar.

Rooms handsomely furnished in the latest style and with every convenience.
mh17 J. LEVI.

NESBITT'S CRACKER BAKERY,

Cor. Yates and Broad streets.

Notice to Families and Housekeepers.

I HAVE THIS DAY COMMENCED TO Retail

Soda, Boston, Butter, Sugar, Water and Pic Nic Crackers,

NAVY BREAD AND PILOT BREAD,

At prices far below that of any other establishment in this city.

A large and fresh assortment constantly on hand.
mh15 lm SAM'L NESBITT.

Ballou's Express

TO STICKEEN RIVER

WILL SEND A LETTER BAG BY the schooner REBECCA, March 20th, by the schooner NORTH STAR, on or about March 24th, by the steamer EMILY HARRIS, when she leaves, and by every favorable opportunity offering Miners going to that country of corresponding with their friends here.

Letters, Packages and Papers taken at low figures.
mh17 W. T. BALLOU.

WANTED,

A FEMALE SERVANT TO DO THE Housework in a small family, such as cooking, washing, &c. For particulars inquire at

L. LOWENBERG'S,
No. 50 Government Street,
between Fort and Broughton streets.
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AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION.

THIS DAY,
Wednesday, March 19, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

For Account Whom it may Concern,

ON UNION WHARF:

- 2 Spars,
- 1 lot Chains,
- 1 lot Sails and Rigging,
- 2 Compasses.

mh18 J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer.

FRIDAY, March 21st, 1862,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.,

AT HIS SALESROOM, WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES STREET,

Special Credit Sale!

Goods just arrived from San Francisco

EX BRIG EMILY W. SEYBURN:

- 158 bags White and Bayos Beans,
- 10 firkins Isthmus Butter;
- 8 cs H. B. & Co. Peaches.

CLOTHING,

Union Cass. Pants, Black and Fancy ditto, Silk Mixed ditto, Black Satinet and Dueskin do., Overalls, etc., Cass. Vests, Black and Fancy Satin do., White Ribbed, Grey Merino and Enfield Undershirts, Davis & Jones' Fine White Shirts, Marseilles Shirts, White Muslin and Puff Bosom Shirts, Calico Shirts.

Boots and Shoes.

- Heavy L. L. Kip Boots;
- Heavy Calf Boots;
- Heavy Nailed Boots;
- Heavy Nailed Brogans, etc.

—ALSO—

An Invoice of Fancy Goods, Notions, Etc.

—ALSO—

50 bbls S. I. Molasses.

TERMS AT SALE.

mh18 J. A. McCREA, Auctioneer.

PROCLAMATION.

VANCOUVER ISLAND.

By His Excellency JAMES DOUGLAS, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Vancouver Island and its Dependencies, Vice Admiral of the same, etc., etc.,

WHEREAS THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY convened on the 1st day of March, 1860, has been prorogued until the 11th day of March, 1862;

Now I, JAMES DOUGLAS, do proclaim and declare that the said House of Assembly is hereby prorogued until WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of March, 1862, on which day the said House of Assembly will meet for the dispatch of business.

Issued under the Public Seal of the said Colony, at Victoria, this tenth day of March, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty-two, in the Twenty-fifth Year of Her Majesty's Reign.

By His Excellency's command.

JAMES DOUGLAS, Governor.

WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

METROPOLITAN LODGING HOUSE

YATES STREET,

OPPOSITE WELLS, FARGO & CO.'S.

MRS. IMMEL;

HAVING GREATLY ENLARGED and fitted up and furnished in first rate style the above Lodging House, is now prepared to accommodate

One Hundred Persons.

LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S PARLORS

Rooms per Week, from \$2 to \$7.
Lodgings per Night, from 50 cts to \$1.

Families Accommodated in the best Style

mh11 6m

GARDEN SEEDS.

JUST RECEIVED BY EXPRESS,

FROM THE

SHAKERS' GARDEN,

NEW LEBANON, NEW YORK,

GRASS SEEDS, FRUIT AND FLOWER SEEDS

Of this year's growth.

For sale by

CURTIS & MOORE, Druggists, Yates street.

mh12 2p

COLUMBIA HOTEL,

Columbia st., near Lytton Square.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Board by the Week, \$5 00
Board and Lodging per Week, \$11 00
Single Meals, " per Day, 2 50
Superior Accommodations for Travellers.

H. BURN, Proprietor.
New Westminster, B. C., March 15, 1862.

AUCTION SALES.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Regina vs. Gordon.

BY VIRTUE OF A WRIT ISSUED out of Her Majesty's Supreme Court of Civil Justice, Vancouver Island, to me directed, I, William Brooke Naylor, Sheriff of the said Colony, will cause to be sold at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, on FRIDAY, the 21st day of March, instant, on the premises at Twin Oak Farm, Victoria District, the following Goods, Chattels, etc., viz:

- Farm Implements;
- The celebrated Race Horse Volunteer;
- Three fine bred American Mares, in foal by one of the best horses in Oregon;
- One Lady's Riding Horses;
- Racing Saddle, Lady's Saddle, and two English Saddles;
- Three Milch Cows and Calves;
- Eight Cows with Calf;
- A yoke of Working Oxen;
- One fat Steer, and sundry other Cattle;
- About 40 pigs;
- Poultry;
- With sundry other goods and chattels.

P. S.—The above goods and chattels will positively be sold without reserve at the best price offered.

The Horse and Land known as Twin Oak Farm will be sold subsequently, of which due notice will be given.

WM. BROOKE NAYLOR, Sheriff of Vancouver Island.

Sale by Auction.

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

Thursday, 27th March, 1862,

At 12 o'clock, noon,

AT THEIR SALESROOM, GOVERNMENT ST.,

The following Valuable Property in Victoria, viz:

Sixteen Town Lots,

Situated on the Block formed by

Douglas, Pandora, Blanchard, and Cormorant streets.

These Lots are in the very centre of the Town and are likely to become greatly enhanced in value, as being suitable either for Public Buildings, Hotels, first class Residences, or for Business purposes.

The Terms of Sale will be highly favorable, namely: 10 per cent. to be paid at the time of purchase, 15 per cent. 14 days thereafter, 25 per cent. in three months, and the remainder in one year, with one per cent. per month interest.

Act of sale at the buyer's expense. Plans of the property to be seen at their Office.

Sale by Auction.

Forty Town Lots in Victoria

Messrs. Franklin

Are instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

Thursday, 3d of April Next,

At 12 o'clock, noon,

AT THEIR SALESROOM, GOVERNMENT ST.,

Forty Town Lots,

Situated on the two New Streets behind

Quebec Street, James Bay.

These Lots being in the immediate vicinity of the Harbor of Victoria, the Public Buildings, and other improvements, are particularly desirable for Private Residences or for Investment. The Terms of Sale will be liberal.

For further particulars apply to M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE, Government Street, or to the Auctioneers, where plans of the property may be seen.

BATHS! BATHS!

DR. WM. H. GOSS

HAS OPENED HIS BATHING establishment on the corner of Douglas and View streets, where he is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their patronage with baths of every description—

HOT OR COLD WATER,

Medicated, Vapor and Sulphur Baths,

His Bathing Rooms are fitted up with especial refinement, to accommodate ladies and gentlemen.

Dr. Goss would also beg leave to inform the suffering in general that they may find him with increased facilities and ever ready to treat diseases of every nature on the reform principle of medicine—

MINERALS NEVER BEING USED.

Baths given from 7 a. m. till 8 p. m. Sundays from 7 till 11 a. m.

Price of water baths, 50 cents; medicated, vapor, sulphur, \$1 00.

SEEDS.

Native and Foreign Garden Seeds.

MEDITERRANEAN SPRING SEED WHEAT.

And a variety of

GRASS SEEDS,

For sale by

DAVID LENEVEU.

Always on hand as usual.

HAY, GRAIN & PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS, wholesale and Retail.

At the old Stand, No. 17 Johnson Street,

VICTORIA.

Fruit Trees for Sale.

6000 WELL-GROWN FRUIT Trees, 2 and 3 years old.

—ALSO—
A large assortment of PLUM, CHERRY, PEAR, AND APPLE TREES.

Raspberry, Currant, Gooseberry and Strawberry Bushes, and Plants and a large assortment of Green-house Plants.

All trees and plants bought of and planted by me will be guaranteed for one season.

Gardens will be laid out and put in order by the undersigned.

Specimens of fruit trees can be seen at the grocery store, No. 50 Government street, next door to A. Hoffman's dry goods store.

C. DECHANT, Practical Gardener.

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Asparagus Plants,

RAISED IN VICTORIA.

\$2 50 PER HUNDRED.

Apply to

W. M. KEARBY, GOVERNMENT STREET.

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HEALTH FOR A SHILLING!
Holloway's Pills.

Headaches, Bile, Loss of Appetite, and Lowness of Spirits.
These Pills require no interruption of business or pleasure; they act mildly on the bowels, strengthen the stomach, and promote the healthy action of the liver, whereby they purify the blood, cleanse the skin, brace the nerves, and invigorate the whole system. They effect a truly wonderful change in debilitated constitutions, as they create a healthy appetite, correct indigestion, remove bile, giddiness, headaches, and palpitation of the heart.

Weakness and Debility.
In cases of debility, languor, and nervousness generated by excess of any kind, whether mental or physical, the effect of these Pills is in the highest degree bracing, renovating and restorative. They drive from the system the morbid cause of disease, re-establish the digestion, regulate all the secretions, brace the nervous system, raise the patient's spirits, and bring back the frame to its prime health and vigor. They increase the appetite, while they secure perfect digestion to all ordinary food, and release the invalid from restraint of diet.

A Word to Females.
There are two periods, especially in Woman's life, which require the use of these Pills, and attention to irregularity is apt at those critical times to take place, and to lay the foundation of future disease. These Pills, safe in action, and effect in result, should be taken at certain periods, and the female will be enabled to keep in perfect health, and to escape the many evils which attend the irregularities of the system, and a host of similar nervous disorders, by expelling all impurities from the system, therefore none should ever be without them.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.
No medicine will cure colds so quickly as these Pills, which are the best remedy for all such ailments. They even though it has been assumed the first stage of asthma, may be relied on as a certain and never failing cure, particularly if the patient be well rubbed into the chest and throat night and morning. It thus catches the evil at its birth, and prevents it from catching the system, and an asthmatic person so bad that he cannot get up, and is obliged to lie down in bed, will find these two preparations for only a week, and the result will be marvellous.

Blood to the Head—Diseases of the Heart.
More persons die suddenly from diseases of the heart than the unlearned suppose. In such complaints, the bowels should always be kept well open, as also where there is a tendency of blood to the head. These celebrated Pills purify the blood in an extraordinary manner, and should be taken in copious doses when such symptoms occur, taking care not to overload the stomach; by this means all danger is quickly averted.

Children's Complaints.
It is not generally known, but such is the fact, that children require medicine oftener than their parents. Three-fourths of the children die before they attain the age of eight years. Let mothers, then, be wise, and give to their children small doses of these invaluable Pills once or twice every week, in such quantity as may act gently upon the system, twice in the twenty-four hours. For infants, a Pill may be crushed and given as a powder in a little water. The gross humors that are constantly floating about in the blood of children, the forerunners of so many complaints, will thus be expelled, and the lives of thousands saved and preserved to their parents.

Holloway's Pills are the best remedy known in the world for the following diseases:

Ague	Dropsy	Indigestion	Stomach
Asthma	Dysentery	Jaundice	Stomach
Bilious Complaints	Erysipelas	Liver Complaints	Stomach
Bleeding from the Nose	Female Irregularities	Lumbago	Stomach
Bowel Complaints	Fever of the Bowels	Rheumatism	Stomach
Colic	Flux	Retention of Urine	Stomach
Constipation	Headache	Sciatica, or King's Evil	Stomach
Croup	Indigestion	Worms of all kinds	Stomach
Consumption	Lowness of Spirits		Stomach
Debility			Stomach

There is a considerable saving by taking the large size.
N.B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each box.
Curtis & Moore and Langley Bros., Sole Agents for Vancouver Island.

COUGHS, COLDS, CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Jayne's Expectorant
HAS BEEN FOR THIRTY YEARS THE STANDARD REMEDY.

HAVE YOU A COUGH?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. Do not allow your cold to take its own course. Two thirds of the victims of consumption owe their afflictions to the fatal neglect of a cough to get well of itself. Do not wait till it is too late, but use Jayne's Expectorant at once, and you will find it a remedy which twenty-five years' experience has demonstrated is certain to procure a speedy cure.

HAVE YOU ASTHMA OR PHTHISIS?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT, which will overcome the spasmodic contraction of the wind tubes, and cause them to expand, and thus restore the system to its normal state, and by an easy and free expectoration, remove all difficulty of breathing.

HAVE YOU BRONCHITIS?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. This wide-spread disease, which may be generally described as an inflammation of the fine skin which lines the inside of the wind tubes or vessels, spreading from every part of the lungs, is often mistaken for consumption. The Expectorant subdues this inflammation, relieves the accompanying cough, pain, and difficulty of breathing, and if the case is not of long standing, will certainly produce a cure.

HAVE YOU CONSUMPTION?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. It cleanses the lungs from all irritating matters, while at the same time it heats and invigorates them. Of all the remedies which have been offered the public for this dread disease, none have stood the test of time, or maintained so universal a popularity, as this Expectorant. Thousands who have been given up by their physicians as incurable have been restored to perfect health by its use, and their testimony must carry conviction to all who are afflicted.

HAVE YOU PLEURISY?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. By taking two or three large doses in the early stages of the disease, it quickly subdues the inflammation, and prevents its progress, and thus acts as a specific or swelling medicine, and subdues the inflammation at the root.

HAVE YOU WHOOPING COUGH?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. There is no remedy which so effectually overcomes this disease as the Expectorant. When taken at the first attack, it keeps the child from taking any other medicine, and thus prevents the disease from becoming chronic. It is a safe and reliable remedy, and its use is recommended by all the best medical authorities.

HAVE YOU CROUP?

Then use JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT. Children are subject to no disease more sudden in its attacks, or in the absence of prompt relief, more fatal in its results, than Croup. Parents, therefore, should keep at hand a remedy which will overcome this disease, and thus prevent its progress, and thus prevent its progress, and thus prevent its progress.

JAYNE'S EXPECTORANT

Is a standard medicine. For twenty-five years it has been before the public, and during this period its active powers have been testified to by all classes of people, from the lowest to the highest. It is a safe and reliable remedy, and its use is recommended by all the best medical authorities.

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OVER THE DOUGLAS & LILLOOET ROUTE
Are still Packing and Forwarding Goods to
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All Goods marked "Our Care" will be received and forwarded without delay.

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REAL ESTATE AGENT.
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WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO
Selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to
negotiating loans and transacting everything connected
with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the Districts on the Island may
be obtained at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing
homesteads, or making investments, will find on my
bulletin board Town Lots on nearly every street.
Farming or Gardening Land in every direction, some
of which afford a rare chance for investment.
Conveyances, leases, etc., drawn up at reasonable
rates.

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KOSHLAND BROS.,
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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS
—IN—
DRY GOODS,
CLOTHING,
Boots and Shoes, Blankets,

2 1/2, 3, 3 1/2 and 4 points, all colors and weights;
YANKEE NOTIONS,
And a variety of Goods for the Indian Trade.

N.B.—We will sell cheap for Cash. Give us a call.
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IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

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Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of
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Just received, the latest styles of
BALTIMORE SHIRTS,
from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings
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GENTS' SILK SCARFS,
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White and Colored Shirts,
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of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the
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I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from
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GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,
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—ALSO—
a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas,
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alls, weighing two and a half pounds, with double
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In his line, ex late arrivals, which he offers for sale
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Call, see and judge for yourselves.

Auction Every Evening,
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GOODS ARE FAIRLY GIVEN AWAY.

BOOTS,
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NEW GOODS FOR CITY TRADE.

A. J. BRUNN, MERCHANT TAILOR,
HAS REMOVED TO GOVERNMENT
Street, under the Police Printing Office. A.
J. Brunn has now the facilities to make up Gentlemen's
Fashable garments at REDUCED PRICES, so as to
enable everybody to have their garments made to
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Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods always on hand, at
low prices, and the undersigned hopes to have a
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Good Goods. Good Workmanship is the best
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FROM PARIS,
Physician, Surgeon and Accoucheur,
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Treatment of all Diseases without Mercury.
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order of the Public, on the shortest notice and on the
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Lodging, per Night, 1.00
The Bar is furnished with Wines, Spirits, Malt
Liquors, Cigars &c. all of the best quality.

N. B. The Building is fire-proof. Jy23

NOW LANDING,
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Brown Drills and Sheetings,
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For cash, or to first class, prompt paying trade, at
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SHOE-THREADS AND CANVAS,
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BALSTON & CO.,
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mh16m

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For Fire and Life Assurance
AT HOME AND ABROAD
CAPITAL £1,250,760 STERLING.

The undersigned have been appointed Agents for
Victoria. CLARK & GREEN.
fe21 6m

Just Received per Oracle
FROM LONDON.

FAMILIES REQUIRING
Allsopp's Ale in Pints
Can obtain it at the
STAR AND GARTER,
fe18 In one dozen Cases.

Don't Let Your Spirits Go
Down!
BUT CALL AT THE
STAR & GARTER
AND GET THEM REVIVED.

No More Doctoring
REQUIRED,
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Will prove an effective remedy.

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NOTICES.

\$5 REWARD
WILL BE PAID TO ANY PER-
son who will restore a SAUDDLE (tree
broken) and a Bridle, taken from a Black
Horse on the 11th of March. Apply to Mr. DICK,
Government Street. mh13 1w

NOTICE.
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETO-
fore existing between S. RAMOUS and J. LEVY
has this day been dissolved by mutual consent; and
all debts due by the late firm will be settled by Mr.
J. Levy, who will carry on the business as hereto-
fore at the old stand on Government Street.

SAMUEL RAMOUS,
J. LEVY.
Victoria, March 12, 1862. mh13

NOTICE
To Carpenters and Builders.
TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED
until Thursday, the 20th inst. for the erection of
a Dwelling House on the corner of Fort and Douglas
streets.

The Drawings and Specification may be seen at the
office of the undersigned.
The lowest Tender will be accepted, if otherwise
satisfactory.

WRIGHT & SANDERS,
Architects.
mh13 Corner of Yates and Langley streets.

NOTICE.
WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, ON THE
1st day of March 1862, purchased from P. J.
Kelly and William Wilson, in Victoria, their right,
title and interest in Claims known as Kelly & Co.'s,
situate on Keithley's Creek, being two full shares
in afore-said Company, consisting of four shares, de-
scribed as adding Burger's Claim, and running up
the Creek therefrom.

T. H. GIFFIN,
ISAAC COLLINS.

NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT
Edward H. Kimball, brother to Chas. O. Kimball,
of Lytton, British Columbia, having come forward
with the necessary vouchers and power of attorney
from the lawful heirs of Chas. O. Kimball, deceased,
to settle or dispose of the estate as in his opinion
seems best. It is therefore mutually agreed by the
undersigned to continue the business for an indefi-
nite time under the name and style of Cook & Kim-
ball, as heretofore until further notice shall be given.

MORTIMER COOK,
EDWARD H. KIMBALL.

NOTICE.
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP HERETO-
fore existing between E. F. Boyce and C. C. (ush-
man is this day dissolved.
February 28th, 1862.
mh14 1m

EDWARD F. BOYCE.

Found,
AT OAKVILLE FARM, SEVERAL
weeks ago, in an exhausted condition, one
WHITE HORSE. The owner may have
him by proving property and paying ex-
penses.
fe26 1m

GEORGE DEANS.

WANTED.
Contracting ground and clearing land of oak
scrub. Apply to
MR. CARLY,
Government Street.
fe20

Copartnership Notice.
MR. WM. T. MOORE IS THIS DAY
admitted a partner in our firm.
N. MOORE & CO.
Victoria, Feb'y 18th, 1862.

The undersigned will hereafter continue the busi-
ness of the firm under the name of N. Moore & Co.
NATHANIEL MOORE,
ROBERT MOORE,
WM. T. MOORE.
fe19 1m

Information Wanted.
CONCERNING HECTOR DOW, OF
Montreal, Canada. When last heard from
on the 20th May, 1853, he was at Nebraska City, in the
employ of Russell, Major & Waddell, engaged in the
transport of Government Stores to Utah, after which
it was his intention to proceed to British Columbia
or California. Any information respecting him will
be thankfully received by his anxious parents. Ad-
dress
ALEXANDER DOW,
Office of the Champlain Railroad Co.,
Montreal, Canada;